D.T.C. bus routes from Pratap Nagar, Delhi

171. SHRI BIR BHADRA PRATAP SINGH: Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) what are the details of the bus routes originating from Pratap Nagar, Delhi with their destinations and frequency under D.T.C. operation;

(b) whether Government are aware that the frequency of bus service from Partap Nagar for Central Secretariat is inadequate; and

(c) if so, what steps are being taken to increase the frequency?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI RAJESH PILOT): (a) The following are the details of routes originating Pratap Nagar:—

R oute No.	Destination	Frequency (in mts.)	No. of buses
92	Pratap Nagar-Bhai Mati Dass Chowk	14/28	5
95	Pratap Nagar to Central Secttt.	13/26	7

(b) and (c) A recently conducted survey on route No. 92 and 95 has revealed that the transport needs of the commuters are being adequately met with by the existing services.

Development of International Airport at Bombay

172. SHRI K. VASUDEVA PANICKER: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to develop a new international airport at Bombay; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise in view of (a) above.

Flying clubs

173. SHRI K. VASUDEVA PANICKER: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to conduct any study of the flying clubs in the country to find out the difficulties faced by them; and

(b) if not, what other steps Government are taking to remove the difficulties faced by the flying clubs?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): (a) and (b) The Flying Clubs are running smoothly. The Government have revised subvention rate from Rs. 240/- to Rs. 294/- per hour for civil trainees and from Rs. 200/- to Rs. 245/- per hour for NCC trainees on account of cost escalation. A grant of Rs. 4.48 crores has been given to Aero Club of India for development of aero-sports. 28 Cessna-152 aerobatic trainer

aircraft and accessories have also been allotted to various Flying Clubs for imparting advanced flying training.

In view of this, the Government have no proposal to conduct any study of the flying clubs.

Aid by the international red cross society to the Bhopal Gas Victims

174. SHRI K. VASUDEVA PANICKER: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) what is the amount of money provided as aid by the International Red Cross Society to the Indian Red Cross Society for distribution to Bhopal gas victims;

(b) what is the amount of money actually distributed so far; and

(c) what is the number of receipients?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE): (a) to (c) According to the Indian Red Cross Society, neither the International Committee of the Red Cross nor the League of Red Cross Societies have provided any aid, out of their own funds in suport of the relief work for the gas victims in Bhopal. However, the Indian Red Cross Society received a sum of about Rs. 293.83 lakhs from the different National Red Cross Societies, Philanthropic organisations through the league of Red Cross Societies and from donors at home and abroad.

This assistance intended specifically for assisting the Indian Red Cross in pursuing its medical relief and related services for the gas victims in Bhopal and not for distribution to victims. So far a sum of about Rs. 108.16 lakhs has been actually spent upto 31.12.1986 excluding the cost of milk valued at Rs. 63.20 lakhs already distributed.

Opening of C.G.H.S. dispensary at Vasant Vihar

175. SHRI BHAGATRAM MANHAR: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration to open a C.G.H.S. Dispensary at Vasant Vihar, New Delhi where allotment of quarters to Government employees has been done recently;

(b) whether Government have received any representation from the allottees/departments in this regard; and

(c) if so, by when a C.G.H.S. Dispensary is likely to be opened there?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE): (a) No proposal to open a C.G.H.S. dispansary in Vasant Vihar is under consideration as the area is already covered under the existing dispensaries-R. K. Puram III & IV.

(b) One request for opening a C.G.H.S. dispensary in Vasant Vihar has been received.

(c) Does ont arise in view of (a) above.

Infant mortality rate in Madhya Pradesh

176. SHRI SURESH PACHOURI: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) what is the national average of infant mortality rate in the country;

(b) what is the infant mortality rate of Madhya Pradesh and other States;

(c) whether it is a fact that more than five hundred children die every day in Madhya Pradesh due to various illnesses and nine of the ten deliverties are done by untrained women;

(d) if so, what steps have been taken to remove the shortcomings and for tak-